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**TITLE:** LAMINATED ZEOLITE COMPOSITE AND METHOD  
FOR PREPARATION THEREOF

**1. Type of Application**

This is a request for filing a **CONTINUATION APPLICATION** under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b), of pending prior application International Application No. **PCT/JP02/09317**, having an international filing date of **September 12, 2002**, entitled **Laminated Zeolite Composite and Method for Preparation Thereof**, which designated the United States.

**2. Papers Enclosed****A. Required for filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(b) (Regular) are:**

19 Page(s) of Specification  
2 Page(s) of Claims  
1 Page(s) of Abstract  
1 Sheets of Formal Drawings (Figs. 1-2)

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**B. Other Papers Enclosed**

- ☒ A Patent Application Bibliographic Data Sheet
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney (English/Japanese Language Declaration)
- ☒ A Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☒ Form PTO-1449
- ☒ An Assignment Transmittal and Assignment of the invention to:
  - NGK Insulators, Ltd.
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- ☒ PCT/RO/101
- ☒ PCT/IPEA/401 and PCT/IPEA/402
- ☒ International Publication (front page only)

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**4. Nonpublication Request Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

- ☐ Applicants hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.
- ☐ Applicants hereby request that the attached application **not be** published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

**5. Relate Back****A. 35 U.S.C. 119(e)**

- ☐ Priority of provisional application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_, is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(e).

**B. 35 U.S.C. 120, 121 and 365(c)**

- ☒ Priority of said prior application(s) is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. §120.

<u>Application Number</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Relationship</u>
PCT/JP02/09317	September 12, 2002	Parent

**C. 35 U.S.C. 119 Priority Claim for Prior Application**

☒ Priority of foreign application(s) is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 as follows:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application Number</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	2001-281675	September 17, 2001

☒ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application will follow under separate cover.

**6. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:**

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Independent Claims	2 - 3 =	0	× \$ 86.00	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			+ \$290.00	
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>				<b>\$ 770.00</b>
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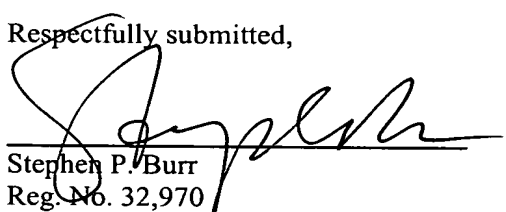
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